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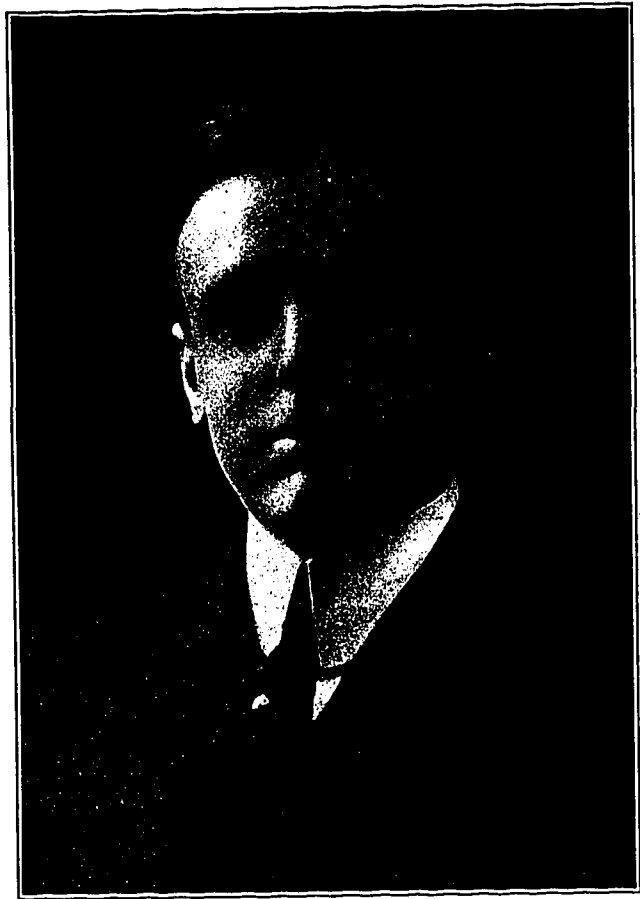
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## NARBERTH PATRIOTIC FETE

### Babies' Parade and Historic Pageant a Brilliant Success

The outstanding feature of Narberth's great Patriotic Fete was the fact that everything that was done was animated by a single thought, and that was love for and appreciation of our boys at the front. Amid all the hurry of preparation, our thoughts were ever of those dear boys who are offering their all on the altar of their country. This lightened every moment of work and lessened the little worries incident to such an undertaking.

The weather during both days was everything that could be desired, which was almost more than we dared hope for during the freakish month of September. The various committees had done their work well, and everything, with trifling exceptions, was ready on schedule time. Narbrook Park was transformed into a picturesque and colorful camp with its booths of nations, tents, the good

Battleship of Mercy, the aeroplanes, tents, games, etc.

It would be invidious to particularize as to any special booth, as all were so well planned. The decorations were appropriate, and the various articles offered for sale of excellent quality and reasonable in price. While the attendance and sales on Friday were fair, Saturday afternoon and evening were of course better attended, owing to the special attractions. The babies' parade, under the direction of Mrs. C. T. Moore, was wonderfully attractive and well managed. Much applause was evoked by the beauty of the babies, and the good taste of the decorated vehicles.

The historic pageant, designed and managed by Mrs. James Foot, director, was a complete success in every particular. As the various scenes were unfolded, beginning with the In-

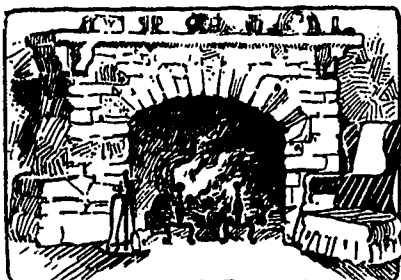
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Come On!  
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## THE FIRESIDE

Betty Baxter's Gossip



Miss Virginia Downes has left for Smith College.

Ruth Haws has gone to Gouchere College, Baltimore.

Mrs. Anna M. Owens, of Mechanicsburg, is visiting friends in Narberth.

We were glad to see our old friend, Arthur W. Cole, in town for the "Fete."

Mrs. Lee Downes has been the guest of Mrs. Carroll Downes, of 315 Woodside avenue.

Howard Hamer is home on seven days' leave from the Naval School at Newport, R. I.

No trouble to buy, convenient, help the boys, a real investment—War Savings Stamps.

Edward Miller, of Narberth, has been commissioned a lieutenant in the motor transport corps.

Some one asked for a package of Liberty Loan song sheets. Who was it? Answer to P. O. Box 820.

Greetings to Mr. Goski and family, of Cleveland, Ohio, who are about to make their home in Narberth.

Miss Gertrude E. Wright is leaving for Santa Barbara, Cal., for the winter, where she will visit friends.

Mrs. G. M. Colesworthy entertained her sister, Miss Mabel Yorgey, of Philadelphia, during the "Fete."

We have nearly two million men in France. Every subscriber to the Liberty Loan helped send them there.

Watch the papers for the announcement of the Narberth High School Alumnae play on October 12.

The silver cups awarded by the Garden Committee will be on exhibition shortly at Howard's Drug Store.

Mr. J. Webb, of Pittsburg, has bought a house on Dudley avenue, and will soon settle in Narberth with his family.

Friends of Mrs. G. H. Schulte will be glad to know that she is recovering favorably from an operation for appendicitis.

The sale of Thrift Stamps and War Savings Stamps at the Narberth post-office amounted to more than \$2000 last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Brooks have returned from Ocean City, where they spent the week-end closing their summer cottage.

Now that the Patriotic Fete is over, kindly turn your attention to the Alumni play to be held October 12 at the public school.

It helps a lot when mail is addressed with box numbers. It also helps to prevent delay in the delivery of mail to the boxes.

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### PEACH STONES ARE WANTED

Peach stones are wanted by the government. These pits make the best charcoal for the soldier's gas masks and they are needed. Kindly clean them and leave them in box at back of 112 Essex avenue, home of Mrs. W. W. Cameron.

A prize will be given to the boy or girl who collects the largest number of these stones.

## ANNOUNCEMENT OF AWARDS FOR BEST KEPT LAWNS AND GARDENS DURING PAST SUMMER

Grand Prize Goes to James Artman—Others Win District Cups.  
Twenty-five Trees Awarded—Many Places Win

### Special Mention

The Garden Committee of the Civic Association having completed its survey and study of the lawns and gardens throughout the Borough of Narberth, announces herewith the awards for the best-kept places during the summer of 1918.

A brief statement will be in order as to how the decisions were reached. Early in the summer the committee composed of Mr. Horace Hillegas, chairman; Mrs. Richard Gifford, Mrs. E. A. Muschamp, Mr. Sebastian Rudolph and Mr. Walter Shaw, divided the borough into five sections, and each member was assigned to a section. Throughout the summer the committee members made frequent trips over their respective sections, making note of all places that they thought worthy of watching. From time to time some places that had been noted on earlier visits but had subsequently been neglected were dropped from the lists, and other places that had not justified noting earlier in the season, but had later "spruced up," were added to the lists. A week ago the members of the committee met, submitted reports of their respective lists, and with this data as a basis to work with, made a complete tour of the borough, visiting

every section and making the final decisions.

In making the awards the Garden Committee were governed primarily by the neatness of appearance and the evidences of care shown by the householders rather than by the planting.

In addition to the cups awarded the committee was also able to award twenty-five trees, the gift of Mr. A. E. Wohlert, of the Garden Nurseries.

### The Awards

The grand prize, a beautiful silver cup, was awarded to Mr. James Artman, whose place at the corner of Windsor and Wynnewood avenues, is not only one of the finest in Narberth, but along the Main Line as well, and shows a care and attention that is worthy of merit and recognition. The other awards by districts follow:

**District No. 1**—All properties south of the railroad. Cup to Edwin P. Doid, 4 Chestnut avenue. Trees awarded—J. B. Morgan, 24 Chestnut avenue; William J. Henderson, 20 Chestnut avenue; J. H. Nash, 136 Merion avenue; Henry Rose, 211 Woodside avenue; L. V. Rockwell, 14 Elmwood avenue; Elmer Marsh, 306 South Narberth avenue, and Lester

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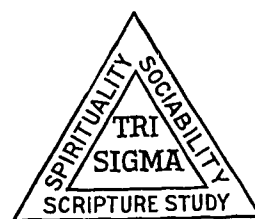
## KIRKPATRICK AND FOOTE WINNERS IN SATURDAY'S ROUND ROBIN RED CROSS TENNIS TOURNAMENT

But Walter Shaw Proves to be the Self-Sacrificing Hero by Getting the "Walking Flue" and Thereby Making it Possible for Ponce Burkhardt to Get in the Contest—245 Games Played in Four Hours

Take it any way you please that Kirkpatrick and Foote proved themselves champions beyond any question, winning six sets and losing only one, and winning more games and losing considerably fewer than any of the competing teams.

From a statistical standpoint the tournament broke all records for local contests. A total of 245 games were played between two and six o'clock, which means that there were considerably more than 1000 serves, which is at the rate of four serves per minute for four straight hours. But as higher mathematics are not our forte, and as we have probably already made a number of mistakes

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HON. F. W. STITES, Leader  
10 A. M. Sunday

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Subject:  
"Hosea, Preacher of Divine Love."

### CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

Two cents per word each insertion, cash in advance. No advertisement accepted unless cash accompanies copy.

FOR SALE—Heywood baby coach, \$10. 108 Chestnut avenue, Narberth.

REWARD—Five dollars reward for the names and addresses of the boys who stole two large baskets filled with walnuts from my nursery on Montgomery avenue, September 30, 1918. A. E. Wohlert.

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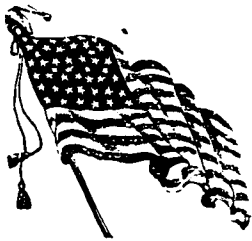
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Police, 1250



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Harry A. Jacobs, Editor.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 24th day of September, 1918.

Walter M. Barber.

My commission expires Feb. 21, 1919

Our Town extends hearty congratulations to all who participated in the great Patriotic Fete. It was another illustration of the truism, that whatever Narberth sets out to do, it does well.

It would be a good plan for home friends to send to each of our boys in the service a copy of the official program of the fete. We want them to realize that they are ever in our thoughts. Further evidence of this will be seen in the trees that will be planted in their honor—one for each of them. Friends of the boys will doubtless hasten to have their names

## WARNING!

A borough ordinance prohibits the riding of bicycles on the sidewalks. It is dangerous to pedestrians. Parents instruct your children accordingly.

inscribed on the honor roll, which gives the privilege of planting a tree. It has been suggested that the honor roll be placed in the Y. M. C. A. for the convenience of the public.

The news from overseas is more and more encouraging each day. With the collapse of Bulgaria, the destruction of the Turkish armies in Palestine, continued advances by the Allies in France and Belgium, and Germany's internal troubles, the outlook is indeed hopeful. There can be no lessening of the conflict, however, until the Central Powers are completely crushed, and this will take a long time. Let no one hold back on the fourth Liberty Loan with any false idea that the money will not be needed. The Loan must all be sold, and each individual must go his limit in subscribing. When the canvassers call, give them a hearty welcome, and speed on the work.

The subscribers to the Liberty Loans have purchased for the War Department over \$4,000,000,000 of ordnance—\$1,000,000,000 was spent for artillery; \$300,000,000 for automatic rifles; \$100,000,000 for small arms; nearly \$2,000,000,000 for artillery ammunition and \$340,000,000 for small arms ammunition; \$100,000,000 was spent for armored motor cars.

It is estimated that \$7,000,000,000 will be spent by the Ordnance Department this current year.

Every American wishes to have a part in winning the war and supporting our soldiers who are fighting our battles in France. Every subscriber to the Fourth Liberty Loan will have a part in the great achievements that the American army is accomplishing and in the achievements which the greater American army will accomplish next spring.

To the Editor of Our Town:

Speaking about liberality as to cash contributions for the Narberth Patriotic Fete, there is no doubt but that especial mention be made as to our Italian fellow citizens.

Our Italian population is small, but they gave largely in proportion to their number and means.

At the invitation of Mr. Ligrest they each contributed from \$10 to \$50 in order to hear a song rendered by the excellent talent present, talent that did not equal Tettrizini or Caruso, but yet these Italian residents contributed ten times as much as it would have cost them to hear the greatest operatic stars in the world.

Had we all, according to our means, given as liberally, the Fete would have netted \$10,000 and over.

Long live Italy. Italia irridenta! The Italian contribution was over \$265.

A. E. Wohliert.

### MORE PROFITEERING

And now it is the Laundry Combination. Taking advantage of the government's request to conserve gasoline, reduce the number of wagons and help, they have cheerfully complied, making one call a week, and if your bundle is not ready on the moment, the wagon passes on and is not seen until the next week. The business is nearing the cash and carry plane. All work to be paid for on delivery. No more charge accounts. Therefore, no chance for losses. It costs \$150 a month for a wagon and driver and this sum is saved on each wagon withdrawn; yet notwithstanding the saving effected the prices have been advanced out of all reason. For instance: Shirts, 18 cents; men's collars, 5 cents; socks 6 cents a pair. Think of it. It occurs to the writer that government investigation is necessary, and in the meantime why can't our Community Club get busy and interest some good laundresses to establish themselves here where they can do profitable business at prices much below the Laundry Trust.

One of the Sufferers.

### DEATH OF WILLIAM G. CURLETT

Sorrow came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Curlett, of Essex avenue, last week. While Narberth was enacting so many scenes of pleasure and gaiety, William G. Curlett, aged 11 years, was suddenly taken ill with Spanish influenza and died on Thursday, September 26. He was to have taken part in the school parade on Saturday. The family has the sympathy of the community.

## CUB'S WEEKLY LETTER

September 27 and 28 were the banner days in Narberth's history, with the possible exception of the pageant of June, 1914. A comparison is hardly fair, however, in view of present war-time conditions. The affair has clearly demonstrated that Narberth has many more live ones than she fully realizes. This is a dandy town and need apologize to no one, not even for the mossbacks, in spite of whom she progresses.

That man Nash is a hustler—we cheerfully hand it to him, and this doesn't detract a bit from the praise that is due some of the women and men, especially the former, who tackled their jobs and finished them to perfection. To mention the names of all who worked hard to make the thing a success is a job I cannot undertake, but it would be base ingratitude not to mention the wonderful work of Mrs. Foote, especially, in arranging the parade. There was never anything in Narberth to compare with it.

And did you notice Mr. Clegg? If you didn't you should consult an oculist. Clegg is a nervous little jigger with a bald head, the living exponent of perpetual motion, but I hope he doesn't wear himself out—he is too valuable an asset of the town. He is a comparative newcomer and did the work of six men and an equal number of horses.

A little more interest in the Civic Association and appreciation of its aims will make this old Burg a leader among Philadelphia's suburbs.

Don't you envy those Building and Loan Association directors? You know Mr. Shand blew the whole bunch to a dinner and a show. Oddly enough the title of the latter was, "Not With My Money." A title which, by the way, makes each of the guests give a grunt of satisfaction when he thinks of its singular appropriateness when he recalls what an enjoyable evening he spent—and that he spent nothing else. A square meal and a good show, all at one time, gratis! Ye gods, and in these hard times, too. I have it on good authority that all they talked about on the way home—especially the gray-haired ones—was a certain person known as "Amy." I don't know anything about the lady, but if you should see the show, perhaps you'd understand why "Amy" seems to have occupied the thoughts of our local Lotharios ever since that night.

This affair brings to mind the letter on file from one of the former directors, dated some time last winter, written in an effusive and sobful strain on the occasion of his resignation from the board, inviting these lean-looking building and loan officials to a grand old time in May. Fortunately for his reputation, he didn't specify the year, although the inference was that he meant May, 1918. Now, that Mr. Shand has set the ball rolling and proved himself a good sport, it is hoped that the other fellow will take example and show the stuff he's made of by giving the promised blowout at the earliest available date without waiting for another May to roll around. Perhaps he's thinking "Not With My Money."

Fred Walzer had his picture in the paper last week. Guess he's going to be a movie star. Don't you love that? Well, any one who can induce Collins, Burns and Strunk to play on the Narberth baseball team and have the nerve to boss 'em around as Fred did, has the crust to do anything.

Jeff Yowell, our accomplished horticulturist and prototype of Abraham Lincoln sez: "Kaiser Bill wants a strong German peace. Will somebody please slip Bill a strong piece of German Limburger?"

Wonder if Sam Bowman pays Bill Jones commutation rate for his daily rides to and from the city in Bill's gas wagon.

Bill Cummer sez: "The dear girls may be havin' trouble cuttin' down their sugar ration, but they sure don't mind Hooverin' on their duds."

Hank Bowen, our genial Y. M. C. A. secretary, rises to remark: "It isn't the last straw that puts so many men on the blink, but what they suck through the straw."

Cub.

Any man who is dead in love with himself should be buried in oblivion.

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### SUFFRAGE NEWS

Again the United States Senate has postponed the vote on the Federal amendment. The suffragists are disappointed again, and are asking, "Is the Senate composed of Americans? We have always boasted of the just treatment of women by our men, but can we any longer boast either of American fairness or democracy when the Senate persists in these methods?"

The British booth at the Narberth Fete, of which the Suffrage party had charge, had many attractions. The Liberty Loan speakers, which the Suffrage Committee, with Mrs. Charles W. Young as chairman, secured, were Mrs. George Dunning and Mrs. Pier-sol, of the Philadelphia Suffrage party, who spoke on Friday, and Mrs. M. B. Simms, a Red Cross nurse, who saw service in the Philippines, and who would be overseas now if her husband, son and six nephews were not in France; Captain Frank Schwab, of the Royal Artillery, who served with Kitchener's First Hundred Thousand, and the interesting French officer, Lieutenant in the Chasseurs D'Alpine, who spoke on Saturday. The booth was patronized by many Britishers, who were delighted with the exhibit of pictures of English notables.

The Montgomery County meeting of the Woman Suffrage party will be held at the Suffrage headquarters in Norristown on Wednesday, October 9, at 10 o'clock.

"The wise use of money is all the advantage there is in having money," said Benjamin Franklin, and he should have added, "Buy Liberty Bonds."

### MAIL FOR OVERSEAS SHOULD BE ADDRESSED PROPERLY

The War Department has now under advisement a proposition to stop all incompletely addressed mail at New York, returning it to the sender.

### NARBERTH WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 28

	High.	Low.
Barometer, sea level.	30.35	29.86
Thermometer	73	37
Humidity, percentage.	94	65

C. D.

### RED CROSS NOTES

The Narberth Red Cross will open a new department for repairing soldiers' garments, uniforms, underclothing and socks. The department will be in charge of Mrs. Walter Dohard. The materials are sent to the Red Cross laundered and in a sanitary condition and can be taken into the home to be repaired. This is an opportunity for those who cannot come to the Red Cross rooms to help by working in their spare minutes without leaving their homes or children. As soon as possible the department will be in working order and further announcements will be made in Our Town.

Do not forget to spend a few hours each week at the Red Cross room, either in the surgical dressings or the hospital supply departments.

### THE TWENTY-EIGHTH DIVISION

All Pennsylvanians are specially interested in the Twenty-eighth division, now fighting in France near Verdun. The division of 40,000 men is made up of Pennsylvanians, and they are the boys who received the eighteen pairs of binoculars and field glasses from patriotic citizens of Narberth for use during their training at Camp Hancock, and later when they are in combat with the Huns. Every one who gave his or her power glasses to these brave men may well feel that they have been a real help to them. This division has earned a proud title, they are known as "The Iron Division."

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## THE FIRESIDE

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The bicentennial of the building of Radnor Meeting House at Ithan was observed by appropriate exercises at 2.30 P. M., September 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Nash entertained over the week-end Miss Elizabeth Lemmon and Miss Jane Lennox, of West Philadelphia.

We have spent over \$120,000,000 just for staple supplies for our army, such as flour, bacon, rice, etc. Every subscriber to the Liberty Loan helps feed our soldiers.

We have spent over \$500,000,000 to clothe our soldiers. Every subscriber to the Liberty Loan has had a part in this care of the Americans who are fighting in France.

In some cases five or six families in Narberth have the same name. All have rented boxes in the post office. All mail should be directed to their respective box numbers.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Richard Gifford, of Dudley avenue, entertained the following guests during the "Fete": Mr. and Mrs. B. Frank Siebert and Miss Ida Bitting, of Sharon Hill.

Will the girl No. 16, in the juvenile section 4½ to 6, of the baby parade, call up Mrs. C. T. Moore, Narberth 675-M, as she was the winner for the prettiest child in her class.

Lieut. George O. Smith was unable to be present at the Narberth Fete where he was expected to speak, as he could not leave Camp Dix owing to the camp being quarantined on account of influenza.

By some strange mischance the name of the man who was of very great aid to the Fete Publicity Committee was omitted from the booklet. Mr. E. A. Muschamp's name should have been on that list.

Will any woman having in her possession a book belonging to the Community Club Circulating Library, please bring or send it to the Y. M. C. A. on or before next Tuesday, October 8. It is very important that these books should all be returned. Alice E. Sshauroth, chairman Library Committee.

The Narberth Board of Health ordered the schools closed for a period of four days beginning Monday, September 30. It is hoped this precaution may aid in checking the epidemic of influenza now so prevalent in town. Unless further notice is posted, the schools will reopen on Friday, October 3, at 8.40 A. M.

Not every stage success "makes good" in moving pictures, but "Inside the Lines," to be shown at the Palace, Ardmore, on Wednesday, makes a screen drama that will carry the interest of every observer to the highest pitch. The subject deals with the present war and the hero is known as Spy No. 1932 and provides some opportunities for a display of skillful acting.

Miss M. Louise Beatty, a niece of Mrs. A. J. Loos, has just received an appointment from the office of the Surgeon General of the U. S. Army as instructor in the training unit of the Army School of Nursing at Camp Sevier, South Carolina. Miss Beatty was for upwards of ten years in charge of the training school for nurses at the Presbyterian Hospital, San Juan, Porto Rico, and more recently has occupied a similar position in the West Philadelphia Hospital for Women.

Mrs. James G. Foote, director of the patriotic parade of the Narberth Public School, wishes to thank publicly through Our Town the committee who so ably assisted her. The hearty co-operation of the entire school force was without a doubt the incentive which helped to make possible this grand success. Under the wise counsel of the principal, Mr. William T. Melchior, and his congenial co-workers, a very interesting program was arranged and carried to a successful conclusion. What might have been a great task developed into a pleasure and I hold myself in readiness to serve the school organization whenever the opportunity affords.

## THE PILOT'S AUTHORITY

The first thing a sailor will tell you who has been to Rio Plata, in South America, is about the pilots there.

He does not like them. Most of the river pilots are ignorant negro fishermen who have been to sea on English ships, and, therefore, know the language. In blue and brass uniforms, backed by government authority, they make themselves almost unbearable at times. But by the law they are in command while the ship is on the river, and they may order even the captain to do their bidding.

A large British bark was being towed up the river one day. The black pilot had been strutting about the deck some time, when he suddenly bawled out:

"Squar in dem fore yards!" Surprised and disgusted, the sailors obeyed. "Now brace up de main yards ye lubbers!" he bawled next.

The captain was angry. "Pilot," he protested, in a choking voice, "what do you mean by bracing about yards with sails furled and a calm day?"

"Dat's all right, cap'n," responded the pilot. "I've got ter show my authority in some way. Go way, don't say nuffin' to me."

## "SHURE" IT IS

Sir James Murray, the author of the New English dictionary, was once a guest at a literary dinner at which a member of the company, greatly daring, started a discussion concerning the pronunciation of certain word.

"Have you noticed, Sir James," he said, "that in the entire English language there is only one word beginning with 'su' that is pronounced as though beginning with 'sh'? This one is sugar. Having made an exhaustive study of the subject you make take it from me that this is so."

Bored though he was, the native politeness of this distinguished dictionary maker did not desert him.

Assuming an expression of interest, although his eyes twinkled behind his glasses, he quietly asked: "Are you sure?"

## A HOME-MADE PLATE RACK

A home-made plate rack that costs less than half a dollar, while smaller ones sell for \$2 or \$3 in the department stores, is bound to be a veritable boon to the woman who cannot afford a china closet and who could not spare the money to buy the china with which to fill it even if she could get the closet. No matter how humble a home may be, there are bound to be treasured bits of pretty ware that never see the light of day except when the pantry is cleaned. With a substantial rack there is no reason why the dainty cups and saucers should not be enjoyed by the family every day. For the foundation of the rack choose a common pine board four feet long and three inches wide. This may be supported by the common iron brackets that cost about three cents apiece at toy or hardware stores. Stain the board brown and fasten firmly in place. About two inches above the shelf place a common curtain pole about half an inch in diameter. The pole should be put up exactly as for a curtain by screwing the fixtures to the wall and slipping the pole into place. Six inches farther up place a similar pole. This should have the fixtures cut down to bring it nearer to the wall. One little woman was so pleased with her ingenuity that she intends to have another and narrower shelf placed above the long one just described, with only one rod. On this shelf she will show off her saucers. Under the shelf are placed a number of small brass screw hooks which are screwed into the pine board, to which the cups are hung.—Argus.

A sailor who had landed after a long voyage and having been paid off, called a cab, threw his luggage inside, and jumped on top himself.

"Beg pardon, sir," said the astonished cabman, "but you should get inside and put your boxes on top."

"Steer the craft ahead, skipper. Passengers always go on deck and luggage in the hold," was the reply from the top.

Beware of the married man who acts as if he were glad to see you.

A man is always known by the company that refuses to keep him.

## PRIZE WINNERS OF THE BABY PARADE

The prettiest girl in Class A, Peggy Ashmore.

The prettiest boy in Class A, Thomas Carbine.

The prettiest girl in Class B, Edith Cecil Bartlett.

The prettiest boy in Class B, Harris Sheldon Hagar.

The prettiest girl in Class C, Mary Jean Martin.

The prettiest boy in Class C, Ward Essex.

The prettiest girl in the juvenile class, No. 16, name unknown.

The prettiest boy in the juvenile class, Henry Harwood Loos.

The youngest baby, Henry Philler, 5 weeks.

The fattest child, George Henry Carr.

The most artistically decorated coach, Evelyn Fleck.

The most attractive twins, Louise and Elizabeth Kriebel.

The most attractive float, Cecelia Gray and Wayne Miller.

The judges, who were strangers in Narberth, were: A. M. Snyder, of Ardmore; Miss S. D. Shober and Mrs. Lewis C. Miller, of Philadelphia.

Mrs. C. T. Moore wishes to thank all who helped to make the baby parade a success, especially Lorna Essex, who collected and contributed twelve Thrift Stamps toward the prizes for the baby parade.

Below is a complete list of the entries for the baby parade: Thomas Raymond Adams, Jr., Dorothy Abbott, Peggy Ashmore, Barbara Lyon Booth, William Buchanan, Caroline Lee Brewer, Helen Bottoms, Abel Bottoms, Barbara Jane Brinser, Jean Brownell, Sara Brownell, Vivian Bliss, Elizabeth Burt, Richard Butler, Robert Butler, James Francis Beale, Edith Cecil Bartlett, Edward Bowers, obby Cameron, Joseph Casey, Madeline Cohee, Narcissa Cameron, Jack Cook, Betty Crater, Anna Lou Chalfant, Charles Clewell, Virginia Cabrey, Dorothy Cabrey, Ruth Cranmer, Thomas Carbine, Richard Case, Paul Case, John Chain, Elizabeth Chain, William Chain, Charles Chain, George H. Carr, Charles Chappatte, Fred Denham, Ella Denham, Harry Dumbell, Virginia Davis, Dorothy Davis, Emily Dubback, Alice Dubback, Margaret Dubback, James Donnelly, Janet Dougherty, Ruth Dougherty, James Dawson, Jack David, Helen David, Ward Essex, Catharine Eward, Evelyn Fleck, Edith Funck, Russell Franck, Raymond Floyd, Betty Green, Elise Green, Cecelia Gray, Justice Grugan, Robert Graham, Robert Gillis, Gillet, Betty Hoffman, George Hopkins, Jr., Harris S. Hagar, Gladys Louise Hillegas, Betty Henderson, Jane Hale, Elizabeth Hartley, Prescott Hartley, Deuane Hoffman, Margery Hoffman, Allan Hayes, Mary Hughes, Roy Herbert, Ralph Hall, Jr., Thomas Holme, Malvine Jackson, Raymond C. Jones, Jr., Bobby Johnson, Richard Mustin Jones, Allan Jones, Ann Kelley, Mary Kelly, Thomas Kincaide, Kirby, Douglas Livingston, Margery Lane, Alexander Shand Loos, Henry Harwood Loos, Mary Lavelle, Dorothy McClellan, Rosalind Mellor, Barnard Mellor, Russell Morse, Herbert Morse, Wayne Miller, Jane Marx, Barbara Marx, Emily McKell, Everett McCarter, Mary Jean Martin, Margery Mills, Elizabeth Mills, Horace McLees, Elizabeth Melchior, Betty Magarrity, Cora Messec, Jack Messec, Catherine McGarry, Daniel McGarry, Marie McGarry, John McDouall, Hunter McDowell, Helen C. McNamee, Beatrice McNamee, Margaretta McKelvey, Jane Nash, Harry Nesper, Charles Napp, Mary Nulty, John Nidecker, Maud Orth, Newton Price, William Pratt, William Papalardo, Rita Parke, Henry Philler, Thomas Pugh, Vincent Parke, Robert Rudolph, Beatrice Rudolph, Newkirk Rossall, Sever Rose, Margaret Rupert, Robert Russell, Douglas Robertson, Edward Reiss, Patricia Stevens, Jane Stevens, Mildred Sharp, Eleanor Sharp, Ruth Supplee, Elizabeth Smedley, Florence Stedman, Betty Smith, Caroline Smead, Sperry, Dorothy Smith, Hugh Speed, Jr., Elizabeth M. Seasholtz, Mary Speakman, Sampson, Stevenson, Robert K. Smith, James Shea, Jack Smith, Howard Thompson, Jane Town, Margaret Town, Emily Louise Titus, Bradford Troutman, David Thomas, Alexander Thomas, Helen Louise Thomas, Albert Vic, Paul Wohlert, Edgar Weshler, Rose Weigle, Lawrence Warwick, Peggy Walzer, Stewart Wilson, Arthur Wright, Gordon Wolf, Dorris Waldner, Ruth Waldner, Ernestine E.

Wall, Charles Weaver, Rufus Weaver, Francis White, Wilson White, Richard Wentz.

## Twins

Marion and Keith Abel, John and Thomas Cranmer, Lillian and Eleanor Diamond, Louise and Elizabeth Kriebel, Margery and Florence Long, Louise and Marie McAlpine, Alma and Wilma Weigle.

## THE ROARIN' ROOKIE

He was just a roarin' Rookie,  
Chuck full of pep and go;  
His sergeant called him foolish.  
He worked his "talker" so.  
Overstayin' of his passes  
Gave him consequential pain;  
Doin' penance in the kitchen  
Made him bloom like flowers in rain.

Nothin' seemed to faze or grieve him  
Except shortage of good chow;  
Even then he'd pull his belt up.  
Lookin' for a scrap or row.  
His lieutenant said he'd trade him  
For any kind of man  
Who would give them peace and quiet.  
And on yellin' put a ban.

Now he's with us in the trenches  
With the same old whoop and yell;  
He is always first in chargin'  
Givin' Mr. Boche (Well)?  
So we've learned to like and love him.  
For he's just the kind of guy  
Who is happiest when shootin',  
Ready then to do or die.

H. H. Wheelock.

## LORD KELVIN'S INVENTIVE EYE-GLASS

Soon after Lord Kelvin had assisted in laying the Atlantic cable, when he was yet known as Sir William Thompson, his mind was greatly troubled in devising some method for perfecting the ordinary telegraphic apparatus used in overhead wires, as the old method, or the one then in vogue, was not suited for the varying currents passing along the cables. The laying of the electric current had the effect of making them run together in one bottom current, with surface ripples. The difficulty which Lord Kelvin had to overcome was to invent a means of clearly distinguishing all the delicate fluctuations. One day the great inventor's eyeglasses dropped off and swung in front of the magnet. The glass deflected its movement, and from this simple and unexpected incident the "mirror instrument" was invented.—Recorder.

For half an hour the working class audience had listened patiently to the talented lady who was speaking to them about economical and nourishing cookery. She had talked about eggless puddings and butterless cakes and now said, with a smile:

"I will tell you about a splendid soup which can be made for next to nothing. Take the bones left over from your Sunday joint—"

At that a man in the middle of the hall rose to his feet with a disgusted look on his face, and said to his mate:

"Here, Bill, let's get out o' this."

"What's wrong?" asked the other in surprise. "Don't you like soup?"

"Aye, I like soup well enough," was the grumbler's reply; "but how many bones does she think there are in half a pound o' liver?"

The Anzac read the advertisement on the door, and strolled in.

"I want ter speak ter a pal o' mine," he said.

"Ah, yes. Be seated my dear good sir."

Then in a dreamy voice the medium began to ring up the Beyond.

"I am in touch with the person you want," he said at last. "He tells me that he has made a lot of friends. Al ready he has met Cromwell Shakespeare, Queen Elizabeth, Henry Irving, Mark Twain, Balzac, and a score o' others."

"Gee!" muttered the Australian "Jim allus was a hustler. "He ain't bin dead an hour yet!"

When charged with trespassing in search of game a notorious poacher declared that he was looking for mushrooms.

"Mushrooms!" said the prosecuting lawyer. "Was your dog looking for mushrooms when the gamekeeper caught him with a live rabbit in his mouth?"

"No, he weren't. That poor rabbit was lame, and th' dog had just nipped it up in a friendly way to carry it back to its hole when th' gamekeeper came along. It's a pity if one animal can't do another a kindness without somebody makin' a crime of it."

## KIRKPATRICK AND FOOTE WINNERS IN SATURDAY'S TENNIS TOURNAMENT

(Continued from First Page)

In our calculations, we shall proceed to the scores.

## By Sets and Games

Kirkpatrick and Foote, won six sets and lost one; games won, 38; lost, 17; defeated Simpson and Bailey, 6-2; defeated McKell and Muschamp, 6-1; defeated Newell and Atherholt, 6-0; defeated Philler and Du Bree, 6-5; defeated Staples and Redifer, 6-1; lost to Ross and Burkhardt, 2-6; defeated Warwick and Scanlon, 6-2.

Ross and Burkhardt, won five sets and lost two; games won, 35 lost, 27; defeated Simpson and Bailey, 6-4; lost to McKell and Muschamp, 2-6; defeated Newell and Atherholt, 6-2; defeated Philler and Du Bree, 6-2; defeated Staples and Redifer, 6-5; lost to Warwick and Scanlon, 3-6; defeated Kirkpatrick and Foote, 6-2.

Warwick and Scanlon, won five sets and lost two; games won, 36; lost, 29; defeated Simpson and Bailey, 6-3; lost to McKell and Muschamp, 4-6; defeated Newell and Atherholt, 6-4; defeated Philler and Du Bree, 6-4; defeated Staples and Redifer, 6-3; defeated Ross and Burkhardt, 6-3; lost to Kirkpatrick and Foote, 2-6.

McKell and Muschamp won five sets and lost two; games won, 33; lost, 29; defeated Simpson and Bailey, 6-4; defeated Newell and Atherholt, 6-4; lost to Philler and Du Bree, 2-6; defeated Staples and Redifer, 6-2; defeated Ross and Burkhardt, 6-2; defeated Warwick and Scanlon, 6-4; lost to Kirkpatrick and Foote, 1-6.

Philler and Du Bree, won three sets and lost four; games won, 30; lost, 32; defeated Simpson and Bailey, 6-5; defeated McKell and Muschamp, 6-2; lost to Newell and Atherholt, 3-6; defeated Staples and Redifer, 6-1; lost to Ross and Burkhardt, 0-6; lost to Warwick and Scanlon, 4-6; lost to Kirkpatrick and Foote, 1-6.

Staples and Redifer, won two sets and lost five; games won, 24; lost, 36; defeated Simpson and Bailey, 6-4; lost to McKell and Muschamp, 2-6; defeated Newell and Atherholt, 6-2; lost to Philler and Du Bree, 1-6; lost to Ross and Burkhardt, 5-6; lost to Warwick and Scanlon, 3-6; lost to Kirkpatrick and Foote, 1-6.

Simpson and Bailey, won one set and lost six; games won, 28; lost, 39; lost to McKell and Muschamp, 4-6; defeated Newell and Atherholt, 6-3; lost to Philler and Du Bree, 5-6; lost to Staples and Redifer, 4-6; lost to Warwick and Scanlon, 3-6; Kirkpatrick and Foote, 2-6; lost to Ross and Burkhardt, 0-6.

Newell and Atherholt, won one set and lost six; games won, 21; lost 39; lost to Simpson and Bailey, 3-6; lost to McKell and Muschamp, 4-6; defeated Philler and Du Bree, 6-3; lost to Staples and Redifer, 2-6; lost to Ross and Burkhardt, 2-6; lost to Warwick and Scanlon, 4-6; lost to Kirkpatrick and Foote, 0-6.

## Tennis Notes

Last Wednesday afternoon the consolation finals in the doubles tournament was played and McKell and Simpson won in three straight sets, defeating Watts and Bowen, 6-0, 6-3, 6-1.

A number of members who were originally drawn to play in last Saturday's tournament were unable to participate, owing to having collided with grip and Spanish influenza germs earlier in the week.

It is expected that there will be a number of good matches on the courts this coming Saturday afternoon—the finals in the women's tournament.

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Peach stones are wanted by the government. These pits make the best charcoal for the soldier's gas masks and they are needed. Kindly clean them and leave them in box at back of 112 Essex avenue, home of Mrs. W. W. Cameron.

A prize will be given to the boy or girl who collects the largest number of these stones.

Red Cross wool distributed at Red Cross Workroom in Y. M. C. A., Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

## Personal

### Fete Observations by the Editor

Aren't you sorry it's over?

How would you like a Fete during May, 1919?

The K. of C. boat cleared \$607, all expenses being contributed. An excellent showing, indeed!

Who has slip number 210, series 2615, on the silver candlestick at the K. of C. boat? It's the winner.

Did you see the Serbian telling fortunes? If not, you weren't in the "Wright" place. How is that, Cub?

Reverend F. M. Gray didn't have a bit of luck at the boat. He said they didn't give him the right numbers.

Tennis Muschamp was around kidding everybody he knew, or saw. His genial smile helped light up the place.

Ray Jones blew a lot of money on Bob Saville at "Ringing the Kaiser" booth. Ray reports tax collections are very good.

The small boys greatly enjoyed the fish pond, toy balloons, etc., at the Presbyterian Church booth, in charge of Mrs. Nickerson.

Mrs. Stites told her story ninety-four times in explanation of the war relics. But it was all true, and she had the proof right there.

King Rudolph, the 6th, was there with a host of friends. It is a habit in Narberth that whenever we think of music we think of S. A., the 6th.

Who didn't get a dipped apple? Then you missed a lot. Couldn't blame Adam for eating dipped apples. We, too, fell for them at the Fete.

The weather man was pretty good to us as far as the rain was concerned, but he couldn't help the seasonable cool and damp nights.

Robert J. Edgar! We met him just two weeks ago and found out that we've missed half our life in not knowing this big, good-natured boy before.

They call her "Mrs. Young," and judging from the way she kept going, here, there and everywhere, no other name could possibly have been more appropriate.

There was Fletcher Stites, chewing gum and eating peanuts, calling every one by his first name. Well, he's our Fletcher, and he has a license to call us anything he likes.

One of the ladies needed our president, Mr. Nash. Of course, that was in order, but she sent him a note addressed "Mr. Gnash." I wouldn't 've liked it either, Joseph.

Hurrah for Fred C. Patten and the Boy Scouts! Their work was real and they never faltered when they were asked to do a thing, if you could find any of them around.

Lieutenant William M. Cameron jumped into his brand new, spic and span khaki and ran to the grounds. Doc left for Camp Wheeler, Macon Georgia on Sunday. We'll miss him.

The Italian booth was novel and par excellence. On rare occasions does Narberth enjoy any better music. Signor Ligrest is a bueno man and deserves much credit. How's that Cub?

Mrs. A. B. Ross, in charge of the Food Conservation, had a very interesting display, and no one can doubt but what Mrs. Ross knows a few things about food conservation, believe me!

It is to be deeply regretted that one worthy organization was not represented in the parade on Saturday, the Main Line Fishing Club. Perhaps the Cub can account for such a disappointment to us!

Frederic Attaboy Lanahan stood at the bridge and caught us coming and going to the band stand. He kept the crowd right in the buying spirit for he knew that every penny spent was a kick at the Kaiser.

Whenever things got a bit dull around the K. of C. boat Jonathan J. Cabrey got busy and sent out his loyal helpers far and wide into the crowd, to stir things up, and they got the results every time, too.

W. Arthur Cole has changed a lot. At the pageant four years ago he was the whole show. On Friday night he was seen and not heard, and some one remarked that Arthur had certainly grown to be a nice quiet boy.

Where were the megaphones to direct the directors? They were very much needed at times, to run errands for the ladies, especially when the Boy Scouts were all away from their appointed places—of course, out on duty.

Mrs. Cameron took charge of the movies, and the films were timely and interesting, as well as instructive. "The only fault I found with the pictures," said Mrs. Haws, "is that they took my customers away from my booth."

Ed Haws insisted that the Fete should have a Democratic booth, but after much persuasion it was explained quietly to Ed that making the world safe for democracy didn't particularly mean making it safe for the Democrats.

Augustus Evergreen Wohlert, as the Cub calls him, was badly engaged in silent meditation, for Narbrook Park suggested to him thousands of places where nice flowering trees and shrubbery could be planted, if he were asked to do so.

If you don't believe that a man can do seven things at once, or be at more than one place at a time, just watch our advertising manager, H. C. Clegg. Bet you can't dodge him when he calls on you for an ad or a subscription!

Yes, that was Fred Walzer's picture in last week's Our Town. We've used that electrotpe five times during the present volume. If Fred should ever raise a beard we would have to take up a donation to have another picture of Manager Fred taken.

Mrs. Verna held the lucky number of the lamb, and Charles says he'll like the little animal better after he and Mrs. Verna settle the question as to whether the garage or Charles' room will be decided upon as to the lamb's permanent quarters.

Miss Maude Wipf, as a Japanese girl, was excellent. With the assistance of the Girls' Kappa Sigma Phi Sorority, the Tea Garden and Flower Show were greatly appreciated. If they had sold pastry we'd joined their new society, "Bata Bita Pi."

Officer Hill and the Narberth Home Guard weren't a bit jealous of each other. The Bulgarians must have been put wise concerning our Home Guard and their new suits and surrendered Hurrah for the Narberth Guard. It needs our support.

Dan Leitch covered the territory thoroughly looking for new accounts and giving away peanuts. Well peanuts aren't so bad when a fellow hasn't anything better to offer. But as Jesse Harris remarked, "Peanuts are poor bait for bankers to hand out."

Miss Mazie Simpson held on to that subscription money—a bunch of crisp dollar bills—all evening, with an expression as though she'd dare any one to touch it. Guess she knew how much Our Town needed it, and she was willing to risk her young life for it.

The Baby Parade! In assigning Mrs. Clifford T. Moore to the job President Nash knew what he was doing. Results are proof. Did you see the little tots, gloriously arrayed gracefully passing by you? It wouldn't have been any Fete at all if we hadn't had the Baby Parade.

Whenever I think of Mrs. Odell and Mrs. Joyce I always think of good things to eat. Wasn't that a bully feed both evenings? Even the editor couldn't get by as a dead-head! This paying at the door before you get in doesn't give a fellow any chance at

all. Perhaps Mrs. Chambley is to blame.

Henry Catalogue Gara had it all in his book, and it was all true. The various photographs, program, committees and other descriptive matter, gave us a most interesting and appreciative souvenir of our Fete. We appreciate Mr. Gara's and his committee's work, which required a great amount of detail.

Mr. Hillegas auctioned off everything remaining at the White Elephant booth. Who were his bidders, and how did he know just what things to tip them to buy? Say, Horace, what are you going to do with all the things you knocked down to your confederates. Make them over? Well that's not a bad idea.

Whenever any big and important work is to be done in Narberth Mrs. Fowler is thought of immediately. Mrs. Fowler's slogan is "Filled up with work, all I can do, but I'll try." And she does try and makes good every time. Have you ever known anything to fizzle out in which Mrs. Fowler was interested? And she tackles big jobs, too.

Did you see Bill Cummer and the Cub walking arm in arm? Wonder what's it all about? Some one said some one heard that Bill said something about a five dollar bill, a fish story, and Our Town. Anyhow, no one saw the Cub take the money, and up to the present moment Cub hasn't sent in a fish story about Bill, so after all, what is hearsay?

The patriotic parade of the Narberth Public School will always be remembered in the annals of Narberth. If you didn't see it you deserve to be 'old about it. Only Mrs. Foote is some director and planner. Assisted by C. Howard McCarter, president of the School Board, and W. T. Melchior principal of the school, the parade was a wonderful affair for our borough. Every detail was worked out so carefully, and the work of Mrs. Foote will long be remembered.

#### ALUMNI PLAY

Reserve Saturday evening, October 12, for the alumni play. The proceeds are for installing a telephone between the two buildings.

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#### PATRIOTIC FETE PATRONESSES

The committee on patronesses for the fete regret that the following names were received too late to appear in the official program: Mrs. W. A. Fuchs, Mrs. Lewis D. Hess, Mrs. W. S. Maddox, Mrs. James Wilson.

Thanks are extended to these ladies and to all of the others for acting as patronesses, as well as for liberal contributions of money.

#### ALUMNI PLAY

On Saturday evening, October 12, at 8 o'clock sharp, the Narberth Public School Alumni will give a play entitled, "The Jonah."

It will be held in the auditorium of the school building.

The proceeds to install a telephone in the new school building. Tickets 35 cents.

Have you a surplus supply of vegetables in your garden? If so, they will be greatly appreciated at the Holiday House. No amount is too small to send. Please leave them before noon, any day, on the back porch at 110 N. Essex avenue, the home of Mrs. Harry W. Derby.

Art of assisting memory by "learning by heart" was begun by Simonid, the younger in 477 B. C.

When a woman begins to assert her rights she magnifies her wrongs.

**THE Narberth Guard**  
drills every Thursday  
evening in the Fire House,  
7.45 to 8.45

# ATTENTION

## Boys and Girls

Did you attend the Narberth Vacation

School at the Y. M. C. A.? If so,

meet at the Y. M. C. A. this

Saturday afternoon.

You will be taken by Auto to Rittenhouse Square, Philadelphia, and joining 1000 other D. V. B. S. boys and girls, will march seven squares to the Liberty Statue, take part in big Liberty Sing and Auto home again.

#### AN INDUSTRIOUS JOKER

Although a predilection for practical joking may well be considered as a weakness of character, the weaknesses of great men are often interesting, and there is nothing reprehensible in most of the pranks that, according to the Hartford Times, are attributed to Sir Hiram Maxim by his son, Mr. Hiram Percy Maxim.

At one time in my boyhood, says the distinguished son of a more distinguished father, I was very curious about bats. One day my father called to me from the top of the dumb-waiter shaft in our house. He said there was a bat in the shaft. I hastened to the top, and there, sure enough, was some dark object fluttering about in the dim light. I seized a broom and struck it. It still fluttered. I struck it again and again. It seemed invulnerable. At last I used the handle of the broom on it, but without effect.

By that time I had become angry with the thing, and I was determined to kill it. I assaulted it with the broom until I was almost exhausted, and my mother put a stop to the proceedings. Investigation then showed that the "bat" was a black bow, surreptitiously removed from my mother's best hat by my father and strung upon an iron wire in such a way that a slight vibration made the bow flutter. My father enjoyed the joke hugely—much more than my mother and I did. He spent a whole day working out that scheme.

He was the most intense man I ever knew. He left no stone unturned once he decided to do anything. I went home one day and told him that a man in a drug store had offered to give me a white poodle in exchange for a penny with two heads on it. I was too young to know that one head only is allotted to every penny in this world. But father listened very gravely and said that he had no doubt that we could produce the two-headed penny without trouble. Then he filed down the "tail" side of two pennies until he had worn away exactly half of each. The next step was to solder the two halves together so skillfully that they made what seemed to be a whole penny with two heads. The drug store man was dumfounded when I produced it—but I did not get the white poodle.

Our great recreation was going to a bookstore. Father and I would visit a certain store at certain times, buy from one to thirty books and order them sent home. Then he would conduct me to the middle of the street and say, "Now let's run home." Imagine a man in a frock coat with a silk hat jammed down over his ears, tearing at a great rate through the streets of Brooklyn with a small boy at his heels. But that always was the conclusion of our book-buying excursions.

Letters give information only when they are posted. It is different with some men.

Some people's idea of knowledge is the art of finding out things they have no business to know.

#### NATURE BUILDS EVERY LIVING THING RIGHT

Most of the so-called problems of nature can be solved by applying plain, common sense. Every living thing in nature is built just right; built the way it ought to be built to make a living. The long neck of the giraffe is necessary, since its food is to be found upon certain kinds of trees, whose leaves are far from the ground. The head of the giraffe is small, because a large, heavy head would be too much of a burden for so long a neck. Imagine the trouble that would come to an animal having a head weighing a hundred pounds fixed on the end of such a long neck, and you can see that the giraffe's head is about the right size. How would an elephant get along if its neck were as long as the giraffe's? It's all a matter of plain, common sense.

Speaking of necks, could you imagine one better suited to the habits of its owner than that of the hog? The hog roots in the ground for its food—in the wild state. Its neck must be thick and stout for shoving the snout into the earth. So the neck of the hog is built exactly as it should be built for enabling the animal to carry its snout along the ground in picking up or rooting up its food supply.

It's the same way with the swan. It feeds in shallow water—by groping about on the bottom for food. It must have a long neck to reach the bottom, for it is not a good diver; it is not built right for diving. So nature has given the swan a neck that suits it exactly, and enables it to live.

Fishes have no eyelids, but why should they have? They do not need them. Eyelids are worn to keep the eye moist and to protect it from dust and other particles. If you were to cut off your eyelids, within an hour or so you couldn't see. The "ball" would become dry and coated with dust and you would be blind. But a fish, living in the water, where the eye is always moist, and where there isn't any dust, doesn't need eyelids, and nature has left them off.

Animals that require great speed in securing their food or escaping their enemies have no collar bones. The shoulders are fastened to the trunk by muscles. This prevents jarring after a long leap, or, in other words, if they had a collar bone, with the shoulder firmly fixed in it, there would be a tremendous shock when an animal came to the earth after leaping. Nature has looked after it in a common sense way.—George A. Burba, in the Columbus (O.) Dispatch.

Two ladies, one of whom was very deaf, were walking by the railway. Suddenly an express train rushed by, and as it passed the engine gave a shriek that seemed to rend the sky. The lady's ears were nearly split, but the deaf one turned to her suffering friend and said, with a happy smile: "That's the first robin I've heard this spring."

Mean time—What your watch keeps when it makes you lose a train.



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### News of the Churches

#### MERION MEETING HOUSE

Merion Meeting House is opened for worship every First-day at 11 A. M. Visitors are cordially welcome. A registry book is kept for visitors. All are asked to register their names.

#### ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH

Rev. R. F. Cowley, Rector

Early Mass on Sunday from April 1 to October 31 at 7 A. M. From November 1 to March 31 at 7 A. M. Late Mass, 9.30 A. M. throughout the year. Masses on holydays, 6.30 and 8.30 A. M. Weekdays at 8. Evening devotions and other services at regular times.

#### ALL SAINTS' P. E. CHURCH

Rev. Andrew S. Burke, Rector

The services at All Saints' P. E. Church, Montgomery and Wynnewood avenues, for next Sunday are as follows:

8.00 A. M.—Holy Communion.  
9.45 A. M.—Sunday school.  
11.00 A. M.—Holy Communion and sermon.

All teachers and members are requested to be on hand promptly next Sunday morning at 9.45. Come and bring a friend with you.

Children not affiliated with any Sunday school are most cordially invited to come to All Saints'.

#### METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

"The Little Church on the Hill"

Rev. F. M. Gray, Pastor

Sunday, October 6, Rally Day. Special services all day to which all are invited.

The Hon. Fletcher W. Stites will give the Rally Day address at the Sunday school session at 10 A. M.

At 11 A. M. the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be held and it is hoped that all the members and friends will be present. About twenty will be received into the church at this service.

3.00 P. M.—The first session of the children's church. The pastor will give an object talk and children will act as ushers and as the choir under the leadership of Mrs. Barclay.

7.00 P. M.—Epworth League Rally with short addresses by Miss Helen Cole, John Schaffer and the pastor, who were delegates at the Epworth League Institute in August.

7.45 P. M.—Patriotic Rally with an address by Narberth's well-known and honored citizens. Mr. George W. Braden, who had charge of the recreational work of the Italian army under the Y. M. C. A. Special music at the

services: A. M., Communion solo by Mrs. Warden, and anthem by women's choir, "Just as I Am;" P. M., solo by Miss Prescott, and anthem by women's choir, "The Lord is My Shepherd."

The church will be decorated for Harvest Home and Rally Day with fruits, vegetables, leaves and cornstalks. A souvenir directory is to be given free to those who attend. Every body welcome on this great Rally Day.

The Men's Bible Class had a delightful evening last Tuesday, October 1, at the home of Mr. Stites, 413 Haverford avenue.

#### THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. John Van Ness, Minister

Meetings for next Sunday: "Rally Day" in every department 10.00 A. M.—Sunday school. Special exercises. It is hoped that every member will be present. The Men's Bible Class will meet at 9.30.

11.00 A. M.—Morning worship. Graduating exercises of the primary and junior departments. Infant baptism. Special Rally Day sermon.

7.00 P. M.—Young People's Christian Endeavor Rally. Mr. Van Ness will be the leader. All young people invited.

7.45 P. M.—Evening worship. Sermon theme, "Out of Darkness Into Light."

#### Church Notes

The members of the Ladies' Bible Class were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. Beatty on last Thursday afternoon.

The fall Communion will be celebrated on Sunday morning, October 13. The usual preparatory meeting will be held next Wednesday evening, October 9.

#### BAPTIST CHURCH OF THE EVANGEL

Avery D. Demmy, Pastor

Services Sunday as follows: 9.45 A. M.—Bible school.

11.00 A. M.—Morning worship. This will be a Communion service.

7.00 P. M.—B. Y. P. U. meeting.

7.45 P. M.—Evening worship. Sermon by the pastor.

Wednesday, 8.00 P. M.—Song and prayer service.

The first meeting of the Teachers' Association will be held on Friday evening of this week.

The 211th anniversary of the Philadelphia Baptist Association will meet at the Frankford Avenue Church, Thursday and Friday, October 3 and 4.

Messengers appointed from this church are: Mrs. H. S. Hopper, Mrs. C. H. Keim, Mrs. Agnes Hirst, Mrs. A. S. Demmy, Mr. J. C. Simpson, Mr. W. J. Clark, Mr. J. P. Briggs and Pastor Avery S. Demmy.

The Baptist Young People's Union elected the following officers last Sunday evening: President, Mr. George Stanley; vice-president, Miss Charlott Hillegas; secretary, Miss Alice Maltby, and treasurer, Miss Florence Simpson. Next Sunday evening the officers will be installed by appropriate exercises.

#### UNCLAIMED LETTERS AT NARBERTH POSTOFFICE

Miss Leonora Goldsborough  
Mrs. H. W. Walford  
Mrs. Clarence A. Wray  
Mr. and Mrs. Murray Gibson and Miss Gibson  
Miss Katharine Kerrigan  
Mrs. Bunn Ross  
Mrs. G. I. Moore  
Miss Florence Shoemaker  
Mrs. S. J. Simmons.  
Edward Haws, Postmaster.

A lie seldom dies from inactivity.

## NARBERTH STARS DEFEAT AUTOCAR

Vernie Fleck Decides Benefit Game With Timely Homer, 4 to 2

Ardmore, Pa., Sept. 28.—The benefit game played at Autocar Park here this afternoon, the entire proceeds of which goes to the relief of Main Line boys who are now located in German prisons, was won by the Narberth All Stars when Vernie Fleck drove a homer with the bases full in the eighth inning, defeating Autocar Score, 4 to 2.

The game was well attended considering the counter attraction of the day and quite a substantial sum was realized by the Red Cross workers.

The local Main Line twirler, Robert Hood, was in fine form and with his left-handed benders breaking just right he allowed the Autocar stickers but four singles. He engaged in an airtight pitching duel with Awkerman, each fanning eight and walking three, while Awkerman was touched up for six hits.

The eighth inning proved to be his Waterloo, J. Jeffers opening with a double. Free passes to Hood and Eddie Collins set the stage for Fleck, who obliged the fans with one of his old-time clouts to deep right field, on which he cleaned the bases, giving Hood the victory.

Sensational catches by Strunk and Kohler featured the game aside from the work of the batteries.

#### AUTOCAR CLUB

	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Kane, 2b. ....	0	1	1	2	0
Jackel, ss. ....	1	1	1	3	0
Barker, cf. ....	0	0	0	2	0
Davis, 1b. ....	0	0	10	0	0
Titlow, rf. ....	0	1	2	0	0
Mosman, c. ....	0	1	8	1	0
Sinclair, lf. ....	0	0	0	0	0
Kohler, lf. ....	0	0	2	0	0
Awkerman, p. ....	0	0	0	1	0
Totals . . . . .	2	4	24	7	0

#### NARBERTH

	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Dickie, ss. ....	0	0	1	1	1
Walzer, ss. ....	0	0	0	0	0
Collins, 2b. ....	1	1	1	4	0
Fleck, lf. ....	1	1	1	0	1
Burns, 1b. ....	0	1	11	0	1
Rodgers, rf. ....	0	1	1	0	0
Mellon, 3b. ....	0	1	1	1	1
Strunk, cf. ....	0	0	3	0	0
J. Jeffers, c. ....	1	1	7	2	0
Hood, p. ....	1	0	1	3	1
L. Jeffers, 2b. ....	0	0	0	1	0
Totals . . . . .	4	6	27	12	5

Autocar . . . . .0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0—2  
Narberth . . . . .0 0 0 0 0 0 4 x—4  
Umpires—Cole and Baetzel.

## MR. BRADEN SPEAKS AT NARBROOK PARK

Mr. George W. Braden, associate secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association of Philadelphia, speaking in connection with the planting of trees in honor of the Narberth boys who have gone overseas, on the occasion of our Patriotic Fete, held last Friday and Saturday, said:

"It is highly fitting that we honor the boys of our town who have separated themselves from home and friends, the pleasure of club, institution and normal environment, to go overseas at the call of 'Uncle Sam,' to suffer cold, privation and danger, even to the making of the supreme sacrifice, for the preservation of democracy and the continued development of those rich and ennobling spiritual forces of Individual, Institution, State and Nation. We have learned that the 'H' in Hun stands for Humbug, Hog and Hell. Only those who have been overseas and have seen and heard somewhat of the German frightfulness in its various forms of ravaged women, mutilated churches and maimed children, can fully appreciate the meaning of the present war. Again, I say, it is highly fitting that we plant trees to the everlasting honor and memory of those who are standing like a human wall of flesh not only to hold but to drive back—all the way to Berlin—these monsters who, with blood-stained hands and the set jaws of the brute, prostituting the spiritual value of life, have endeavored

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NARBERTH

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"Let your letters overseas be full of comfort and cheer. Don't send the boys hard luck stories: 'Tell it to the Marines.' Let those of us at home, work, work, work, as we have never worked before, for now we should remember that the best part of the word 'Pacifist,' so far as the Huns are concerned, is fist.

"We look to the coming of that glad day of clean, above-board democracy: the conquest of organized social evil; the unification of our churches; the universal application of social justice; the ripening of the spirit of brotherly love, as the Master said 'That they all may be one.'"

Original medical school in this country was founded at Philadelphia in 1764.

OUR TOWN will gladly print any news item about any subject that is of interest to Narberth folks, but in order to meet the printing schedule, all "copy"—manuscripts—must reach the editor by 6 P. M. Monday each week.

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NARBERTH PATRIOTIC FETE

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dians in the first era, and ending with the Goddess of Liberty in the seventh era, the imagination was highly stimulated, and one could live again the romantic and exciting epochs of our country's remarkable history. To the young it was a vivid and unforgettable picture that made living and real the historic facts learned from books, and to the old, who had lived through some of the events portrayed, it was living over again the days of their youth.

The liberty sing in the evening, under the able leadership of Mr. George Thomas, was full of pep. Mr. William Beatty, Jr., of Wayne, whose fine baritone was much admired, gave two solos. The St. Frances de Sales Band not only accompanied the liberty sing, but discoursed sweet music between times, and played for the dancers on the green. Mr. Fletcher W. Stites made a most eloquent and impassioned plea for the fourth Liberty Loan, and later introduced Captain Schwab, of the Royal Light Artillery, and Lieutenant Brie, a French chasseur, both of whom gave most interesting details of life at the front, and vivid pictures of the cruel and merciless methods of the Germans in their modern "scientific" warfare.

President Nash, of the Civic Association, is to be congratulated highly for the planning and execution of the fete, and for his excellent judgment in selection of committees. A special word of commendation is due the Publicity Committee for the excellent program prepared by it, which is a valuable souvenir, not only of the fete, but because of its sketches of our churches and associations. It is too early to report as to the proceeds, but at this time it looks as though the net receipts would be upwards of \$1500.

Most ancient hymn is the "Song of Moses," composed in 1491 B. C.

### THE WAR CHEST FUND

Your pledge for the War Chest Fund is due and payable to the Treasurer, Chas. V. Noel, or the Merion Title and Trust Company, at Narberth.

If you pay by check, make checks payable to the War Chest Fund, or mail direct to Chas. V. Noel, Treasurer.

## RESULT OF SUMMER KNITTING DRIVE

The Main Line Branch No. 1, of the American Red Cross, reports the following as the result of the summer knitting drive, which finished September 15:

	Socks	Sweaters	Total
Ardmore	579	204	783
Narberth	315	250	565
Merion	297	136	433
Brandywine	325	221	546

There was a total of 1681 sweaters, 4216 socks, 64 helmets, 86 mufflers 114 wristlets. Total 6161.

## ITALIANS PLAY A BIG AND SUCCESSFUL PART

The Italian Booth was one of the most attractive features of the Patriotic Fete. The music was especially fine, and from the collections taken for the songs and the sale of fruits and flowers, a total of \$265.53 was realized. Two-thirds of this sum was contributed by the Italians of Narberth. Mr. L. M. Ligrest was the chairman of the committee in charge.

Sergeant Ettore Verna, baritone, sang on Friday night on the Community Singing Platform without accompaniment, a selection from the opera "Ernani," and a beautiful Italian folk song. At the Italian Booth, Mr. Verna made a hit with the same selection from "Ernani" and also the famous aria, "My Flag Shall Be My Bride." Sergeant Verna was sent to his home town, Philadelphia, by the United States Government from Camp Sevier, South Carolina, to sing for the benefit of the Fourth Liberty Loan. Narberth got him first. Mr. Louis Boccelli, baritone vocalist, from Overbrook School of the Blind, accompanied by Mr. Herbert Mertel, his pianist, also from the Overbrook School of the Blind, was one of the star performers.

Mr. Michael Casaccio played the flute. Miss Maria Casaccio, 16 years old, played the piano. Miss Caroline Casaccio, 13 years old, was the star singer of the two evenings. On Friday night she sang "Happy Days," which brought in \$42.00, and on Saturday night, and by request, she again sang "Happy Days," this time for \$25.00. On the same night she sang the famous Italian boat song, "Santa Lucia," which brought in exactly \$100.

Professor Arturo Papalardo, a resident of Narberth, and a well known orchestra leader and vocal teacher, was at the piano, accompanying Mr. Boccelli when he sang Tosti's "Good-Bye" and "Send Me a Rose From Homeland."

Mr. Giliberto and his little orchestra of mandolins and guitars, played "O Sole Mio" and "Ciribibin," which brought in over \$25.00.

Societa San Martino loaned the beautiful silk hand-embroidered American and Italian flags, which made quite a hit in the school parade. Mrs. C. J. Morgan, Mrs. Olivieri and Miss Jennie Grifone were flower girls, dressed in the Italian peasant costume.

Thanks to the Canteen Committee Mrs. Edward Odell, chairman of the committee in charge of the canteen supper at last week's Patriotic Fete, wishes to extend her thanks and appreciation to the members of her committee who worked so generously to make the canteen the success that it was. This committee was composed of the following: Mrs. Chambliss, Mrs. Joyce, Mrs. Entemman, Mrs. Dustin, Mrs. O'Hare, Mrs. Beale, Mrs. Leitch, Miss Turner, Miss Harris and Mrs. Davis.

Have you a surplus supply of vegetables in your garden? If so, they will be greatly appreciated at the Holiday House. No amount is too small to send. Please leave them before noon, any day, on the back porch at 110 N. Essex avenue, the home of Mrs. Harry W. Derby.

## ANNOUNCEMENT OF AWARDS FOR BEST-KEPT LAWNS AND GARDENS

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Nickerson, 111 Elmwood avenue. Special mention—Carl B. Metzger, 15 Chestnut avenue; Rezo Brooks, 9 Chestnut avenue; Andrew Greene, 5 Chestnut avenue; William J. Loughlin, 210 Chestnut avenue; Frederick A. Brown, 418 Woodside avenue; the properties at 308 and 310 Chestnut avenue and at 407 Woodside avenue; J. Howard Wilson, Chestnut and Narberth avenues; James Wilson, 309 South Narberth avenue; Dr. A. L. Orr, 101 Elmwood avenue; Albert Golze, Maple avenue; Harry A. Jacobs, Elmwood and Wynnewood avenues, and H. Hillegas, Elmwood avenue. In this district the committee found that the section on Chestnut avenue between Maple avenue and Wynnewood road, and the section comprising the properties at 307, 309, 311, 313 and 315 Woodside avenue, were particularly well kept and had been throughout the entire summer.

District No. 2—All properties between Haverford avenue and Montgomery pike and Wynnewood road and Essex avenue. Cup to F. R. Gifford, 232 Dudley avenue. Trees awarded—Carl Candoni, 223 Dudley avenue; A. C. Warner, 216 Dudley avenue; F. H. Prescott, 226 Essex avenue; Robert Savill, Essex and Sabine avenues; Fred Walzer, 117 Windsor avenue. Special mention—Dr. H. A. Marx, 219 Dudley avenue; Clarence B. Kelly, 217 Dudley avenue; Francis H. Baker, 115 Windsor avenue; H. G. Polhehaus, Narbrook Park; William G. Ehni, Narbrook Park; the property at 426 Essex avenue; particularly the Dudley avenue end of the Simpson property at 232 Essex. The committee found the sections comprising 215, 219 and 223, and 230 and 232 Dudley avenue especially well kept, and noted too that all the lawns in Narbrook Park with one exception, and all the Wynnewood road lawns had been in good condition throughout the summer.

District No. 3—All properties between Windsor and Price avenues and Essex avenue and Montgomery pike. Cup to George D. Grover, 203 Hampden avenue. Trees awarded—F. A. Clark, Hampden and Windsor avenues; Norman Jefferies, 219 North Narberth avenue; Dr. O. J. Snyder, Woodbine and Narberth avenues. Special mention—J. J. Cabrey, Narberth and Windsor avenues.

District No. 4—All properties between Haverford and Windsor avenues and between Essex avenue and Montgomery pike. Cup to William Ballingall, 511 Haverford avenue. Trees awarded—The Misses Warner, 601 Haverford avenue; Fletcher W. Stites, 413 Haverford avenue; A. J. Loos, Haverford avenue; John K. Ketcham, Hampden avenue; the property at 108 Hampden avenue; Charles E. Kreamer, 114 Forest avenue. The section on Haverford avenue from the J. K. Ketcham property to the end of Shirley road, the committee felt was deserving of special mention.

District No. 5—All properties between Essex and Price avenues and Montgomery pike. Cup to C. L. McKee, 224 Wayne avenue. Trees awarded—Walter M. Wentz, 203 Wayne avenue; Alexander Easton, 407 North Narberth avenue; the property at 219 Price avenue; the property at the corner of Essex avenue and Montgomery pike. The entire Wayne avenue was found to be an especially good section.

### Special Prizes

The Narbrook Park cup was awarded to Michael Collins; the cup for the greatest improvement to a property was awarded to Daniel Votel, 230 Dudley avenue; the cup for the best display of blooms was awarded to Samuel P. Bowman, 116 Elmwood avenue, and the cup for the cleanest and neatest kept store along

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